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Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestick.

From TUESDAY *September* 6th, to MONDAY *September* 12th, 1748.

Extract of an Letter from an authentick Person at Paris *to a foreign Minister at the* Hague, *April* 23.

'THE Arrest of M. de la Salle at Dantzick continues to 'make a great Noise here and at Versailles. The 'Ministry exclaim loudly against that Transaction, and seems 'to be touch'd to the Quick with it. This Affair is likely to 'be carried to such a length by the Court of France, accor- 'ding to what is said of it at the Count de Maurepas's Of- 'fice, that Orders will probably be given to seize upon all 'Dantzick Ships that shall be found in the Ports of France, 'Tis true this will not alter the Affair at all; but by the 'French Court's shewing in this Manner its Resentment, 'other petty States &c. should be intimidated from doing a- 'ny thing that might give Umbrage to his most Christian 'Majesty. The Marquis des Issarts, the French Ambas- 'sador at Dresden, has just informed the Marquis de Puy- 'sieux, that M. de la Salle will certainly be carried from Dant- 'zick into the Russian Dominions, in order to be tried there 'for the Crimes laid to his Charge; and that the Requisito- 'rials from Petersbourg are only wanting for the carrying 'off this Prisoner, if not by Consent, by Force. According 'to what we are informed here from the most credible Per- 'sons, and those most likely to know, M. de la Salle is char- 'ged with having negociated in the *North* for several Men 'of War for the Service of France, and with forming a Con- 'federacy against the March of the Russians, between the 'Courts of Berlin, Saxony, and *Poland*, to whom those of 'Bavaria, Palatine, Wirtemberg, &c. were to have joined. 'His Commission likewise extended to form a Party at the 'Court of Petersbourg, which might get the upper Hand of, 'and Superiority to that of the Courts of Vienna and 'Great Britain: In which Commissions, it is believed here, 'this same Colonel de la Salle would certainly have suc- 'ceeded, by the extraordinary Intelligence which he had 'in the North, if he had not obstinately and stupidly blun- 'der'd into Dantzick, against the Advice of certain People 'who told him, that the Magistrates of that City had Or- 'ders to arrest him. As M. de la Salle cannot deny but that 'he quitted the Service of Russia without Leave, and as it 'evidently appears by his Papers, which were seized, that 'he was inclose Intimacy with M. de Allion, and absolute- 'ly an Emissary of France, 'tis very much apprehended at 'Versailles, that he will receive the Punishment due to a 'Deserter and Traitor, and that they shall hear no more 'of him, except an Account of his Execution.

An Extract of a Letter from a Person of Veracity at the Hague, *dated May* 8.

'The Advantage which the Crown of France will draw from 'the Peace, according to what may be judged from the Prelimi- 'naries, will not be near so great as the Court of Versailles promis- 'ed itself. A small Establishment for the Infant Don Philip, the 'Restitution of Cape Breton, or to express it better, the Exchange 'of it for Madrass, and in Consideration of the Restitution of al- 'most all the Low Countries, the Re-establishment of Commerce 'by Sea and Land, and the Honour of having vanquish'd the Al- 'lies during seven successive Years: These are the glorious Fruits 'that have been gather'd from the Loss of some hundred Thou- 'sand of Lives, and from the Expence of Millions without Num- 'ber, which the Ministry of Versailles have caused his Most Chri- 'stian Majesty and his Subjects to squander away purely for the Plea- 'sure of violating the Guaranty of the Pragmatick Sanction. The 'Advantage which the Crown of Great-Britain will reap from 'this Peace, does not appear to be much greater: But the States 'General will obtain every real Advantage from the Peace, whe- 'ther separate or general; the Restitution of all that France has ta- 'ken from the Republick is secured to it by the Preliminaries; the 'Limits which are to serve as a Barrier to the United Provinces 'are to be regulated; the Commerce between France and the Re- 'publick, it's said, is to be re-established upon a more advantagi- 'ous Footing in many Particulars than it was before the breaking 'out of the War.

'It was the Intention of the French Court, before signing the 'Preliminaries, that the Works of all the Places that had been ta- 'ken from the Dutch should be demolished; and whilst it was so, 'the Count de St. Severin being in Discourse with a certain Pleni- 'potentiary, said to him, "Sir, There is no reason for any Body "to complain of the King's Conduct, he is good, and whoever de- "sires his Friendship and Confidence, and will trust their Interest "in his Hands, will have no Occasion for either Forces or Barrier, "which would only separate them from a Friend, who aims at no- "thing so much as their Welfare and Advantage, and the Repose "of all his Neighbours."

Hanover, May 28. The King of Great Britain, our Sovereign, having ordered a Body of 8 or 9000 Men to form a Camp of Plea- sure near this City, the Regiments that are to compose it are upon the March on all Sides. The Duke of Cumberland is expected here, having already sent hither one of his Gentlemen from Breda. As his Danish Majesty is also expected in the Duchy of Holstein, many Persons think there will be an Interview between the two Monarchs.

Mr. *Timothy*,

Several of the Acquaintance of Mr. *William Hazel Hill*, (who died on the 4th Instant, (very much lamented) desire you will in- sert the following Lines (on his Death) in your next, whereby they will think themselves very much oblig'd.

O flendent terris hunc tantum fata, neque ultra
Esse sinent. Nimium vobis romana propago
Visa potens superi propria haec si dona fuissent.

WHAT Words, what Sense sufficient can express
Our Grief, Despair, our Anguish and Distress.
Fair Virtue's fled;—ah much lamented Youth!
In thee were found, Faith, Innocence and Truth.
Whilst here, his Soul (from youthful Follies free)
Shone forth in all her native Majesty.
In Sense a Man, in Innocence a Dove;
Chast in his Thoughts, as Angels are above.
A Soul supreme to every Vice on Earth!
Inclin'd to Goodness ever since his Birth.
Merit he still, and Piety rever'd:
His Saviour lov'd, and his Creator fear'd.
No Lust did e'er his virgin Mind once taint;
Pure were his Thoughts, as of a dying Saint.
Must then such Excellence this Tribute pay;
Such Heav'n-born Virtue be now snatch'd away.
Short his Abode, in this frail Mansion here!
Belov'd by all, but most to Virtue dear.

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His Soul (as cloy'd with vain repeated Sights,
And anxious Toils, and empty falſe Delights)
Back to its native Heav'n has now return'd;
Whilſt here, lamented, wept, bewail'd, and mourn'd.
See! ſee! his Soul dart thro' the milky Way;
More bright, more radiant than the Heav'n-born Day.
Then look bright Saint, O happy HILL look down;
And with a Smile thy virtuous Friends here own:
Say; in a Life ſo ſhort, ſo wond'rous bright,
How didſt thou gain ſuch Grace, ſuch heav'nly Light.
Knowledge and Beauty, Comelineſs and Senſe,
All ſhone in Thee, unaided by Pretence.
Seraphic Soul! permit the virtuous few,
To mourn their Loſs, who all thy Graces knew.
Mourn! mourn! ye Nymphs, the charming HILL's no more;
Eccho ye Rocks, ye Plains his Loſs deplore.
Ye penſive Youths, to his ſad Shrine repair;
Bedew his ſacred Duſt with one ſad Tear;
Still, ſtill, your Loſs in mournful Accents tell;
And how the Youth of *Charl's-Town* lov'd him well:
With weeping Eyes, this one ſad Truth declare,
The lovely, virtuous, youthful HILL lies here.

CUSTOM-HOUSE CHARLES-TOWN, *Enter'd Inwards.*

Brigt. Mediterranean, John Norris, from Cape-Breton.

Entered Outwards.

None.

Clear'd for Departure.

Schooner John, William Borland, for Jamaica.

EXPORTED from this Place, ſince the firſt of *November* laſt, the following Goods, of the Produce of this Province.

Rice, 54,153 Barrils.	Tann'd Leather, 6550 Sides.
Pitch, 34,074 Barrils.	Beef & Pork, 4,541 Barrels.
Tar, 2771 Barrils.	Corn & Peaſe, 8,906 Buſhels.
Turpentine, 2965 Barrels.	Indigo, 135,909 *lb.*
Deer-Skins, 619 Hhds.	

Market Price at Charleſtown, of the following Goods, of the Produce and Manufacture of this Province.

Rice per *Ct.* 55 *ſ.* 0	Deer-Skins, per *lb.* 16 *ſ.* 6
Pitch per Barrel, 45 *ſ.*	Indigo, 20 *ſ.*
Tar, 40 *ſ.*	Corn per Buſhel, 17 *ſ.* 6
Turpentine, 12 *ſ.* 6	Peaſe, 12 *ſ.* 6
Roſin, 8 *ſ.*	Salad Oil, *per Quart*, 12 *ſ.* 6
Pork, 8 *l.* 10	Staves, *per* 1000, 15 *l.* to 20
Beef, 5 *l.*	

ADVERTISEMENTS.

JUST IMPORTED in the Snow *Two Siſters*, Capt. *Bogg*, from *London*, linnen check'd ſhirts, garlix ditto, writing paper, brown and ſtitching threads, hard metal diſhes, plates and baſons, double channel'd pumps, mens fuſtians, iriſh ſheeting linnen, ſtrouds, ſingle refin'd loaf ſugar, black pepper, mens and boys coarſe and fine hats, indian looking glaſſes, ſtrip'd duffils, bullets, powder and ſwan ſhot, cotton romalls, buckram, printed linnens, callicoes and chints, pavillion gauſe, vermilion, ſtar and roſe gartering, body caddice, pins of all ſizes, 4 & 20 *d.* nails, gilt and ſilver'd buttons, buck, horn, and ivory handle knives and forks, claſp knives, yard wide 7 8th & 3 4th garlix, tandems, 3 4th checks, bohea and green teas, and womens black caps.

And alſo from the *Weſt-Indies*, Rum in Hogſheads, and Sugar in Barrels, to be ſold at my Store in *Trade-ſtreet*. *John Dart.*

THE PUBLIC TREASURER hereby gives Notice, that from Monday the 12th of *September*, 1748, he will give new Currency in Exchange for all the old that ſhall be brought to him, (paſted or ſtitched on Paper with any Pieces of the ſame Denomination ſo as to make out a whole Bill,) untill the 20th of May 1750; after which Day the ſaid old Currency is not a lawful Tender, or of any Value to the poſſeſſor. And, that he will not take any of the private ſmall Notes in any Payment, either public or private.

TO BE LETT, by *Thomas Beſwick* at *Goofeſtre Port Royal*, good Lodging for traveling Gentlemen, alſo good Stabling for their Horſes.

AN Action is commenced in the Court of *Common Pleas* of this Province, againſt *John Remington*, in Order that it may be tried, Whether *Thomas* Archbiſhop of *Canterbury*, Primate and Metropolitan of all *England*, be realy called by *Divine Providence* or duely authoriſed by Law, to appoint any Officer or exerciſe any Juriſdiction in *America*; and in particular, whether he has any Power, Juriſdiction or Authority within *this Province*, of which his Excellency *James Glen* Eſq; is Governor and Ordinary.

Mr. *Timothy*,

YOU have made yourſelf the Author of the anonymous Peice in your laſt Paper, and it's probable you may think it a pretty Joke; But, in the Opinion of Men of Underſtanding it's a very filly Thing: I dare ſay, you never conſulted any Lawyer upon it, or you would have been told, no ſuch Action can be tried in a Court of *Common Pleas*. There is certainly a Mark of great *Modeſty* in the *Gentleman* the *Plantiff*, not to ſuffer you to put his Name. But Mr. Printer, the *Plaintiff*'s *Modeſty* (whoever he is) will not ſoften your Indiſcretion, nor permit you to be left in Ignorance what the Law is concerning Libels, and that in proper Time. For the preſent let me tell you as a Secret,

I know of no Action againſt me, nor will it give me any Concern if there are *twenty*. His Grace of CANTERBURY's *Authority* will be ſupported; there is a proper Court of Judicature where that will be diſcuſſed if brought in Queſtion here; and therefore only continue to advertiſe, That

JOHN REMINGTON

ACTS as *NOTARY-PUBLIC*, being by lawful Authority from *England* duly appointed and SWORN.

SAMUEL and GEORGE EVELEIGH having done with Buſineſs in Company, deſire all perſons any Way indebted to Them, to diſcharge the ſame by or before the 20th Day of *December* next; And as there are ſeveral to whom we have repeatedly wrote, but to no Purpoſe, We think they can't reaſonably take it amiſs, if after this public Notice We employ a Lawyer to recover our Money, which we are reſolved to do immediately after that Day.

STOLEN from my Plantation on *Cainhoy*, on the 23d of *Auguſt*, by one *Charles Holding* (a *Rhode-Iſland* Man) a likely bay Gelding, about 14 Hands high, with a large blaze in his Face, a bow Maine lately trimm'd, and well ſpread behind; A natural Pacer, branded on the mounting ſhoulder with a ſmall T; a Gun, a pair of Piſtols, Saddle and Bridle, a pair of Silver Shoe and Knee Buckles, and a Pocket-Book with a 20 *ſ.* Bill in it. The ſaid *Holding* is a tall, ſlim thin faced Man, with a Kind of a red Beard: Whoever will take up the ſaid Man, Horſes, &c. ſhall have THIRTY POUNDS Reward of *Joſeph Dutarque.*

ON Tueſday the 4th Day of *October* next, will be held, at the Houſe of Mr. *Eliſha Poinſett*, in Charles-Town, A Quarterly Meeting of the SOUTH-CAROLINA SOCIETY, where the Members are deſired to give their Attendance preciſely at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon *By Order of the Society*

FRANCIS CORBIN, Clerk.

RUN AWAY from *Robert Wright*, a Muſtee Fellow named *Clement*, formerly belonging to the Eſtate of Mr. *William Downing*, and is ſuppos'd to be harboured by the Negroes belonging to that Eſtate, or by the Negroes lately belonging to the Eſtate of *Richard Wright*. Whoever apprehends the ſaid *Clement* and will bring him to *William Roper* in *Charles-Town*, or to *Robert Wright* at *Aſhepoo*, ſhall be paid *Fifteen Pounds* by the ſaid *Wil. Roper* or the Subſcriber *Robert Wright.*

N.B. The ſaid *Robert Wright* has a good Cooper to ſell, one that can work very well at his Trade, about 20 Years of Age. Any Perſon wanting ſuch a Slave, may enquire of *William Roper* for further Particulars.

TO BE SOLD,

By *JOHN LINING*, in Broad-Street,

Stoughton's Bitters, at 25 *ſ. per Quart*,
TREACLE WATER, at the ſame Price,
Citron Water, at 6 *l. per Gallon*,
Uſquebaugh, and Cinamon Water, at 5 *l.*
Geneva, Orange, Aniſeed, Mint, and Tanſey Waters, at 40 *ſ.*

TO BE SOLD, a Lot in *Tradd-Street*, whereon *William Hancock* deceas'd lately lived, fronting on the ſaid ſtreet 63 Feet 2 Inches, and in Depth 100 Feet 8 Inches, with a good new Dwelling-Houſe thereon, now rented at 200 *l.* a Year: Alſo another Houſe rented at 100 *l.* a Year. Enquire of *Robert Hancock* at *Ponpon*, or *Benjamin Addiſon*, in *Charles-Town*.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *James Robertſon* deceaſed, are hereby required to pay their reſpective Debts immediately, or their Accounts &c. will be put into a Lawyer's Hands to be ſued for, by

Mary Robertſon, Adminiſtratrix.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. Whereas *Samuel Smith* jun. of the ſaid Province, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Juſtice and two of the Juſtices of the Court of *Common Pleas*, ſetting forth, that he is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt-Marſhal of this Province, by Virtue of a Writ of *Capias ad Satisfaciendum*, at the Suit of *James Eddes*, for a Debt to him juſtly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors, in Truſt for the Reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule thereof being annexed to his ſaid Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly in ſuch Caſe made and provided. *It is therefore ORDERED*, and the ſaid *James Eddes*, and all others to whom the ſaid *Samuel Smith* jun. is in any wiſe indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of *Common Pleas* which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they can, why the ſaid *Samuel Smith* jun. ſhould not be entitled to the Benefit of the ſaid Acts upon his complying with the Terms therein preſcribed. *Sept. 6th*, 1748. JAMES WEDDERBURN, *Cl.C.P.*

THE Subſcribers have juſt imported, in the *Two Siſters*, Capt. *Bogg*, from *London*, a choice Aſſortment of *European & Eaſt-India* Goods, ſuitable for the preſent and approaching Seaſon, which they will ſell on very reaſonable Terms at their Store in Broad-Street. *Morton & Samuel Brailsford.*

IMPORTED in the Snow *Two Siſters*, Capt. *Bogg*, from *London*, and to be ſold by SAMUEL CARNE on the Bay, nigh the Vendue-Houſe, a freſh Aſſortment of Drugs, alſo an Aſſortment of Cutlary Ware,—Mens and Boys Hatts, coarſe and plain,—Window Glaſs,— and ſeveral other Goods fit for the Seaſon, I alſo continue to ſell Cordial Waters of all ſorts, at the moſt reaſonable Rates,—alſo exceeding good Bitters, and all kinds of Family Medicines.

IMPORTED in the Snow *Two Siſters*, *Peter Bogg* Maſter, from *London*, a choice parcel of cutlary ware, conſiſting of knives and forks,—all ſorts of claſp and gardener's knives,—ſnuffers and cork-ſcrews,—gilt coat buttons,—buckles of all ſorts, and ſteel tongues and chapes,—tooth-pick caſes,—billiard balls,—all ſorts of carpenter's planes and other tools —bricklayers, plaiſterers, and ſhoemakers tools,—ſhoe thread and ſpinnel,—mens womens, boys and girls laſts and ſhoe-heels,—all ſorts of nails, locks and hinges,—braſs coach nails,—all ſorts of brads and coffin furniture, with many other ſorts of goods for all ſorts of workmen, and plantation uſe, by *Robert Auſtin.*

STOLEN or ſtray'd from the Subſcriber on *James-Iſland*, a white Horſe branded on the mounting Shoulder ED in one, and on the mounting Buttock TE in one, very much gaulded with a Chair Harneſs. Whoſoever takes up the ſaid Horſe, and brings him to the Subſcriber on *James-Iſland*, ſhall have 5 *l.* Reward and all reaſonable Charges. *Elizabeth Darvell.*

ON Tueſday *Auguſt* 30th, was offer'd to Sale and ſtopt, 2 large Silver Claſps and other Mountings of a Bible or large Book. The Owner may have it again of *Alexander Petrie*, Gold-ſmith.

WHEREAS the preſent Method of diſpoſing of Libraries of deceaſed Perſons, or of thoſe departing this Province, or others, by expoſing them to Sale at public Vendue, in Lots or Parcels not ſorted or entered in Catalogue, is liable to many Loſſes and Inconveniencies both to Buyer and Seller (ſince any Perſon who may incline to purchaſe a ſingle or few Books, muſt take the whole Parcel of different Languages, Subjects, and perhaps old Volumes for which he has no Occaſion.) And as the Parcels ſo expoſed are ſeldom very conſiderable to attract Buyers, and no previous Advertiſement is publiſhed, few Perſons who want to buy have Opportunity to be preſent. And as there is no Bookſeller in this Province who can ſupply a neceſſary Variety of Books, or take in for Sale ſuch Books as the Owners may incline to ſell,

The Subſcriber propoſes to take in Books from ſuch as are willing to diſpoſe of the ſame, with a Catalogue of them and the loweſt Price affixed, for which he will give Receipt to be accomptable.

Theſe Books ſhall be regularly claſſed and diſpoſed according to their different Subjects and Languages; which Books with their Catalogues and Prices Gentlemen deſiring to purchaſe may have acceſs to at all Times, at the Free-School near *Charles-Town*.

As ſoon as a ſufficient Number is lodged in the Subſcriber's Hands and not diſpoſed of by private Sale, the Collection ſhall be ſold in ſome proper Houſe in *Charles-Town* ſeparately, by the Rules of Auction practiced at *London* (the Time, Place, and Quality of Books being previouſly advertiſed in the *Gazette*) which public Sales (if the Propoſer meets with Encouragement) ſhall be regularly three Times a Year.

Such Gentlemen as cannot attend ſuch Sales may ſend their Commiſſions to their Friends in *Charles-Town*, or to the Subſcriber, who will faithfully ſerve both Buyer and Seller.

Maps, Globes, mathematical Inſtruments, Medals, Medalions, *&c.* will be taken the ſame Care of.

As the executing the above Propoſal will require great Care and Charges, the Propoſer hopes, that it will not be thought unreaſonable, to allow for all Parcels of Books, *&c.* as ſhall be ſold within the Year, receiving the Price and paying the ſame, above the Value of 100 *l.* Currency, *Five per Cent.* and for ſmaller Parcels or ſingle Books *Seven and an half* per Ditto; and for ſuch Books, *&c.* as cannot be ſold either privately nor at the public Sales within the Space of *Twelve* Months, to the Satisfaction of the Seller, that *Two and an half per Cent.* be allowed the Propoſer.

☞ *BOOKS, &c. will be received in Terms of the above Propoſal after the firſt of September next, at the Free-School near* Charles-Town, *where proper Accommodation is fitted up for them: And it's hoped, that all Lovers of Books and Learning will countenance a Propoſal, which may prove very uſeful to the Public, as well as of Service to*

Their moſt humble Servant,
HUGH ANDERSON.